

RECYCLING PROJECT

Juveniles participating in the Recycling Project must collect aluminum items and take to a recycling center of your choice. I am attaching directions to Bluegrass Recycling in Burlington KY or you can check the local phone book under recycling and contact them.

Q: What can I recycle?

A: Empty aluminum cans such as:

- Uniform Beverage Cans / Soda Cans You may also save the tabs on Soups and canned goods.

Q: How should I prepare the materials for pickup?

A: Rinse and place empty beverage cans into Garbage bags. Cans should be smashed and the **Pop top removed and saved** to turn in.

The money received in return for the items collected is to be used to purchase the items listed below. The child/guardian must **receive something in writing from the recycling center documenting the weight/amount of items turned in and the money collected.**

The items purchased with the recycling money shall be donated to:

Helping Hands
214 Barnes Rd
Williamstown, KY 41097
823-0286

The Pantry of Hope
22 Warsaw Rd
Dry Ridge KY 41035
468-1813

Williamstown Methodist Church
206 Paris Street
Williamstown KY 41097
823-5171 leave message

The child is to save all receipts on items purchased with the recycling money. All receipts should be turned in to Vanessa Rose along with the items circled on the list. Have attached form signed by a representative of the site you are donating to and return Vanessa Rose as well. Your moneys received from the recycling center must match the amount spent at the grocery for items purchased. If there is a change left over it must be turned in with receipts.

Needed items:

Canned Vegetables	Canned Meats	Canned Soups
Canned Fruit Juices	Cereals	Oatmeal
Boxed Pastas	Canned Spaghetti Sauce	Peanut Butter / Jelly
Boxed Desserts (Twinkies, Little Debbie's, etc...)	Rice	Chili
Laundry Detergent	Shoe Polish	Tooth Paste
Body/Face Lotion	Shampoo/Conditioner	Deodorant
Dental Floss	Soap	Hair Brush/Combs
Band Aides	Q-Tips	

Community Service - Juveniles

Please have the appropriate agency sign and bring this sheet along with your receipts to Vanessa.

Helping Hands

Signature

Approximate # of items Donated

Date: _____

The Pantry of Hope _____ Date: _____

Williamstown Methodist _____ Date: _____

Thank you for participating in the recycling project. **Your project is due in my office in 3 (three) months.** You will earn **1 hour per pound** of aluminum you recycle. It is estimated that 30-32 cans equal a pound of Aluminum; prices however vary for a pound of cans.

If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact Vanessa 823-7561.

Name of Juvenile

“Every obstacle presents an opportunity to improve our condition”



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The Importance of Recycling

How much waste do you think the average U.S. citizen produces each year? According to the EPA, the average U.S. citizen produced 4.4 pounds of waste per day during 2000. This is the equivalent of over 1600 pounds of trash per year per person or more than 220 tons of waste being generated each year.

Trash comes from many sources, including bottles, boxes, cans, yard trimmings, grass clippings, furniture, clothing, newspapers, and much more. Americans also dispose of several million tons of tires, appliances, furniture, paper, clothing, and other durable and non-durable goods each year as well. Packaging waste, including glass, aluminum, plastics, metals, paper, and paperboard, also contributes significantly to our annual waste totals. Even yard trimmings, such as grass clippings and tree limbs, are a substantial part of what is thrown away.

Sponsors:

Grant County Fiscal Court, Judge Executive Darrell Link

Grant County C.D.W.
Sharron Blackburn
859-824-5063

Community Service Coordinator
Vanessa Rose
859-823-7561

For more information on recycling in Grant County contact Bryan Miles, Solid Waste Coordinator at 859-824-3050

Bluegrass Recycling Center

283-9560

I-75 North to the Florence/Burlington Exit. Turn Left onto Hwy 18, pass Mall Rd and go approx. 2-3 miles to Right onto Limaburg Rd. Go straight to Right onto Distribution Drive. Go to end of street and you will see the building.

OR

I-75 North to the 12th Street exit. Make a Right at the Stop Sign. Go straight approx. ¼ of a mile to Right onto Russell Street.

CAN – DO Metals
1510 Russell
859-261-8264

Prices will vary from week to week and place to place.



We are adding another phase to the Recycling Program...POP TABS!

Since I am allowing the pounds to be the number of hours, we are going to add a couple of things to the requirements.

1. You must empty and smash cans before selling them
2. You must remove the pop tabs and put them in a container such as a baggy or a milk carton with your name on the front and turned in to me with receipts.

By collecting those little tabs, you can help support families with seriously ill children to stay at the Ronald McDonald House each year. Even though the aluminum can is valuable, the tab is made of pure, high grade aluminum.

If you would like to find out about other ways to volunteer or help with the Ronald McDonald House you can contact:

Ronald McDonald House
350 Erkenbrecher Ave
Cincinnati OH 45229
www.rmhcincinnati.org
513-636-7642